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From **Saturday** December 7. to **Tuesday** December 10. 1728.

Paris, December 14, N. S.

ON the 2d Instant the French Academy chose the Bishop of Angers to be one of their Members, in the Room of M. de la Monnoye, deceased. Madame de Valence, Wife to the Marquess de Moni, is lately dead at her Seat, aged about 19 or 20 Years. She was very rich, and as she has left no Children, her Aunt, the Countess de Chavignac, is become her only Heiress. Since the Retirement of the Court to Marly, the Garde des Sceaux comes once a Week to Paris, to give Audience to the foreign Ministers.

Hague, Dec. 17, N. S. The States of the Province of Holland have under their Consideration the Military Estimates and Establishments for the Year ensuing, as proposed to them by the Council of State; which Estimates have likewise been sent to the States of the other Provinces, for their Approbation and Consent. The States of Holland are settling Funds, for the necessary Supplies for the publick Service. Baron Keppel is arrived at Nimeguen, in his Return from the Court of Berlin. On the 13th the Deputies of the Republick had a Conference with the Imperial Minister on the Affair of Embden and East-Friesland. Several Persons have been taken up on Suspicion of being concerned with two Clerks of the States General's Secretary's Office, who have been some Time in Custody for discovering the Resolutions and Letters of the States: And Yesterday one of those Clerks, named Hamelonce, was removed to the common Prison for Criminals, in order to be tried.

Navy Office, Dec. 9, 1728.

These are to give Notice, That the Ship's Tickets entered on the List of Arrears before N^o 3938, will begin to be paid in Course in a few Days at the Pay-Office in Broad-Street, the List now paying there being near finished.

Treasury Chambers, Dec. 9, 1728.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have had a Letter laid before them by their Secretary, (to whom it was directed) bearing Date the 25th of November last, and signed Outport, proposing to discover clandestine Practices and Mismanagements in the Customs, their Lordships do hereby give Notice, That if the Person who wrote the said Letter will attend their said Secretary, at the Treasury Chambers with such Discoveries, he shall receive all due Protection and Encouragement, and such Recompence as his Services to the Publick shall deserve.

South-Sea House, Dec. 6, 1728.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, that in order to next Christmas Dividend on the capital Stock of the said Company, the Transfer Books of the said Stock will be shut on Monday the 23d Instant, and opened again on Wednesday the 29th of January next.

East-India House, Dec. 4, 1728.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be holden at their House in Fenchurch-Street, London, on Wednesday the 18th of this Instant December, at Eleven in the Forenoon, the same being a Quarterly Court: And that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up from Thursday the 19th of this Instant December, to Thursday the 16th of January next: And that the Annuity and Dividend Warrants due at Christmas next, will be ready to be delivered to the Adventurers on Tuesday the 28th of said January next.

York-Buildings House, Dec. 5, 1728.

The Governor and Court of Assistants of the York-Buildings Company give Notice, that a General Court of the said Company will be held at their publick Hall in Winchester Street, on Monday the 23d Instant, at 12 in the Forenoon, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by their By-Laws. And they further give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut from and after Thursday the 19th Instant, and opened again upon Tuesday the 14th of January following.

Equivalent House, Dec. 5, 1728.

The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company hereby give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the said Company